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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate Katie Groves on the occasion of receiving the Illinois Association of Colleges for Teacher Education's Outstanding Beginning Teacher Award; and

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WHEREAS, Katie Groves is finishing her second year teaching fourth grade at Carterville Intermediate School; she is already well known by her peers as a highly effective teacher who works diligently with students and their parents to ensure each child's success; and

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WHEREAS, Even during her stint as a student teacher at Tri-C Elementary School in Carterville, Katie Groves was perceived as a fellow teacher; she is noted for her leadership and collaborative skills with grade-level colleagues and the school community as a whole; and

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WHEREAS, Katie Groves led the grade-level team that rewrote the English Language Arts curriculum, which is tied to the Common Core State Standards; and

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WHEREAS, Katie Groves is well regarded by her peers for her great enthusiasm for teaching, her boundless energy, and her outstanding work ethic; and

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1 WHEREAS, Katie Groves serves as a model of hard work,
2 integrity, and dedication for the people of the State of
3 Illinois; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
5 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
6 congratulate Katie Groves on the occasion of receiving the
7 Illinois Association of Colleges for Teacher Education's
8 Outstanding Beginning Teacher Award and wish her continued
9 success and happiness in the future; and be it further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to Katie Groves as a symbol of our esteem and
12 respect.